PUBLIC NOTICE

State of South Carolina (SC)
Department of Health and Environmental Control (DHEC)
Bureau of Air Quality (BAQ)
2600 Bull Street
Columbia, SC 29201
(803) 898-4123

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NOTICE OF A PROPOSED SIGNIFICANT MODIFICATION TO AN EXISTING
PART 70 AIR QUALITY (TITLE V OPERATING) PERMIT THAT INCLUDES AND INCORPORATES
DRAFT/PROPOSED AIR QUALITY (TITLE IV) PHASE II ACID RAIN PERMIT

DUKE ENERGY CAROLINAS, LLC (W.S. LEE STEAM STATION)
HIGHWAY S-4 178
PELZER, SOUTH CAROLINA
(ANDERSON COUNTY / REGION 1 ANDERSON EQC OFFICE)
AIR PERMIT NO. TV-0200-0004

Duke Energy Carolinas, LLC (W. S. Lee Steam Station) has applied to the SC DHEC for a significant modification to their existing Part 70 Air Quality (Title V Operating) Permit for its existing facility. Draft Revised Title V Operating Permit and Engineering Calculation (Green) Sheets have been written by the BAQ incorporating and outlining the proposed project and applicable regulations. The draft revised permit includes the following:

• The facility is proposing to revise their acid rain Nitrogen Oxide (NOx) emissions limits from individual specified limits to an annual averaging plan that will include units 1, 2 and 3 at the Lee Steam Station.

If approved, the draft revised Title V Operating Permit will enable the facility to continue to operate as a major source in accordance with SC DHEC Regulation 61-62.70 "Title V Operating Permit Program." All emissions limitations and conditions contained in the draft revised permit have been written to ensure that the facility operates within the requirements of the Title V Operating Permit Program for the State of South Carolina. The draft revised permit has not yet been approved and is open to comment from the public and the United States Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

Interested persons may review the materials drafted and maintained by DHEC for this facility and submit written comments on the draft permit by March 2, 2007, to Joe Eller at the above DHEC address. All comments received by March 2, 2007, will be considered when making a decision to approve, disapprove, or modify the draft permit. Where there is a significant amount of public interest, DHEC may hold a public hearing to receive additional comments. Public hearing requests should be made in writing to Karen Lee at the above DHEC address or by e-mail at: leeka@dhec.sc.gov. If a public hearing is requested and scheduled, notice will be given in this newspaper thirty (30) days in advance. A final review request may be filed after the permit decisions have been made. Information regarding final review procedures is available from DHEC's legal office at the above address or by calling (803) 898-3350. Information relative to the draft permit will be made available for review through March 2, 2007, at the DHEC Columbia Office listed above and at the following location:

SC DHEC, Region 1 Anderson EQC Office, 2404 North Main Street, Anderson, SC 29621 at (864) 260-5569

The BAQ maintains a county-based mailing list of persons interested in receiving notification of BAQ public notice actions. If you would like to be added to this list, please submit a request with your name, address, and counties of interest to Karen Lee at the above DHEC address or e-mail. Information on permit decisions and hearing procedures is available by contacting DHEC at either address listed above. Copies of a draft permit or other related documents may be requested in writing at a \$.25 per page charge. Please bring this notice to the attention of persons you know will be interested in this matter.

This public notice may be viewed through March 2, 2007 on DHEC's website at: http://www.scdhec.gov/environment/bag/eqpnbaq.aspx